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Hogs & Pigs



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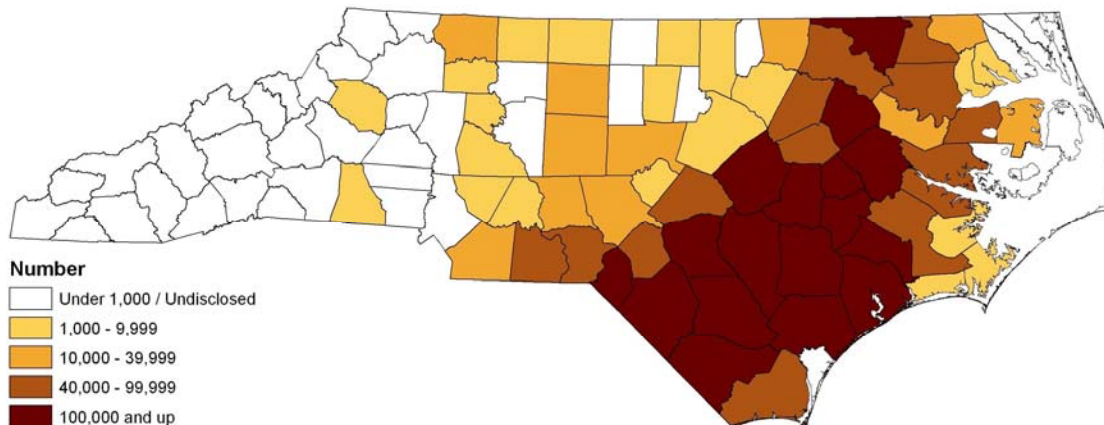
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Steve Troxler, Commissioner

Quick Facts

- ❖ North Carolina ranked 2nd in the nation for number of total hogs on farms.
- ❖ There were 9.5 million total hogs on North Carolina farms as of December 1, 2006.
- ❖ North Carolina's pig crop between September-November 2006 totaled 5.03 million head, produced by 550,000 sows.
- ❖ North Carolina operations with hogs totaled 2,300 during 2006.

Number on Farms per County December 1



Top 10 Counties by Production

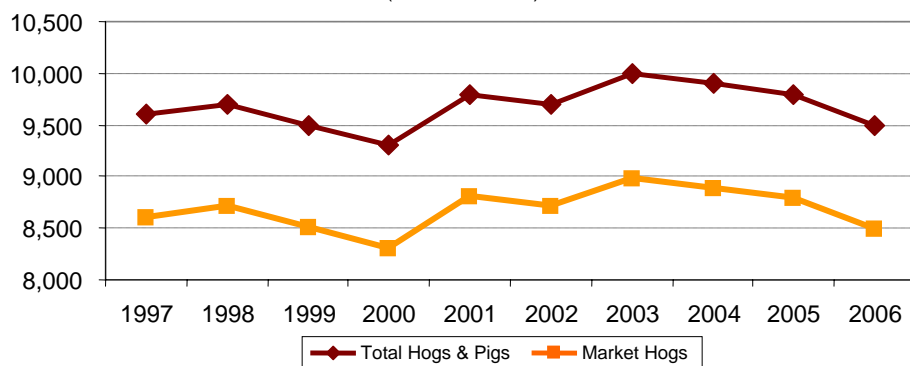
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Duplin	2,167,000
Sampson	2,025,000
Bladen	815,000
Wayne	515,000
Robeson	353,000
Greene	350,000
Lenoir	312,000
Pitt	280,700
Columbus	244,000
Pender	237,000

¹Ranking of Published Counties Only

Hogs And Pigs
Number on Farms, by Class and Weight

Year	Total	By Class		Market Hogs and Pigs, By Weight Group			
		Breeding Hogs	Market Hogs & Pigs	Under 60 Pounds	60-119 Pounds	120-179 Pounds	180 Pounds and Over
Thousands							
1997	9,600	1,000	8,600	3,350	2,000	1,840	1,410
1998	9,700	1,000	8,700	3,400	2,000	1,850	1,450
1999	9,500	1,000	8,500	3,350	1,950	1,750	1,450
2000	9,300	1,000	8,300	3,400	1,800	1,650	1,450
2001	9,800	1,000	8,800	3,500	2,020	1,730	1,550
2002	9,700	1,000	8,700	3,450	2,050	1,700	1,500
2003	10,000	1,020	8,980	3,550	2,180	1,750	1,500
2004	9,900	1,020	8,880	3,520	2,150	1,700	1,510
2005	9,800	1,010	8,790	3,450	2,130	1,720	1,490
2006	9,500	1,010	8,490	3,390	1,970	1,680	1,450

Hog & Pig Inventory
(thousand head)



Hog Inventory – Leading States
(million head)

